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4 First Named Inventor: David N. Brotherston Examiner: Akintola, Olabode
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6 **FOR PROVIDING PRODUCTS AND**
7 **SERVICES IN A TRANSPORT VEHICLE**
8 **USING A NETWORK OF COMPUTERS**

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